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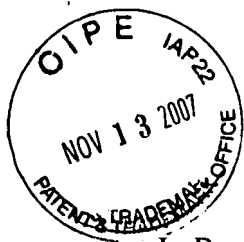
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed September 10, 2007, in connection with the above referenced patent application, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and reconsideration in view of the following remarks.